

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant(s) :** Robert DOUGLAS et al.  
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**Title :** MECHANICAL VENTILATION IN THE PRESENCE OF SLEEP  
DISORDERED BREATHING POSITIVE AIRWAY PRESSURE  
THERAPY

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 15, 2010, kindly amend the  
subject application as follows. Changes to the claims begin on page 2. A  
Remarks section starts on page 14.